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Special Summer
offer # 43

Here are the *new*
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10 brand new superbly bred Stewart
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Throughout the world knowledgeable
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Stewart bred crosses have come to be world famous for their uniformly high quality, production, and beauty. Each year new horizons are opened up with our constantly finer lines of breeding with ever more spectacular and desirable parents. Yes, Stewart bred crosses are the criterion by which other crosses are judged.

A few years ago #1480, Lillian Stewart; #1463, San Francisco; #1445, Edna Cobb; #1521, Bengal Bay; #1383, Jungfrau, and others were but promising seedlings. Now they are known wherever fine Cymbidiums are discussed. Their star is still in its ascendancy, too, for these crosses are just reaching and are available in flowering size. The 10 new crosses listed here were specially selected from our stock for their quality and variety. You will find a superb white in #1437, Joan of Arc. In #1577 you will get rich yellows of fine vigor and production. In each cross you will find the superb parents and orchid breeding knowhow that have made our crosses world famous. You cannot buy finer plants anywhere at any price!

#1437 **JOAN OF ARC** (Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS x Balkis, Silver Orb AM/AOS). A superb white tetraploid cross. Many of the parents of the future will come from this cross, as well as will many of the prize winners.

Strong seedlings with 12 to 15 inch leaf length—\$7.50

#1547 **NAM KHAN** (Nam Khan, 'Borealis' x Nam Khan, 'Lita' AM/AOS). Here is a tremendously intriguing tetraploid cross. By recombining Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt,' Rosanna, 'Pinkie' and Pauwelsii, 'Comte d' Hemptinne' characteristics of these will be recombined to make some fascinating combinations. We expect mostly heavy textured large pink flowers. Look for some prize winners here.
12"-15" leaf length—\$5.00

#1566 **FIREBIRD** (Edzell, 'John Linford' FCC/RHS x Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS). The world famous red Edzell, 'John Linford' crossed by the famous Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt.' Most will be large heavy textured pink shades of fine quality.
12"-15" leaf length—\$5.00

#1574 **Nam Khan, 'Lita' AM/AOS x Firebird, 'Redwings.'** Our tetraploid AM variety of Nam Khan was used here, with the fine red diploid Firebird. Mostly large very heavy textured pinks. Many will be prize winners.
12"-15" leaf length—\$6.00

#1577 **IAN STEWART** (Claudona, 'Glendessary,' Bronze Medal Cymbidium Society x Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt' FCC/RHS). We predict this will be one of the most commercially profitable Cymbidium crosses ever bred. The tremendously free flowering green Claudona, 'Glendessary' has been crossed with the superb tetraploid 'Westonbirt.' Mostly yellows though there will be some pinks and whites. Strong growers and terrific producers.
12"-15" leaf length—\$5.00

#1592 **Esmerella, 'Apple Green' x Balkis, 'Silver Orb' AM/AOS.** Here is an entirely new type of Balkis hybrid. This cross is the result of years of experience in fine Cymbidium breeding. Expectancy is for superb whites, pinks, lemon yellows, ice greens and yellows of exceptionally clear coloring. Compact growing, free blooming with a tendency of many to flower late in the season.
12"-15" leaf length—\$7.50



Illustration shows a few of the awards granted our Cymbidiums
at the Spring 1958 shows

#1571 **Nam Khan, 'Borealis' x Babylon, 'Castle Hill.'** Two famous tetraploid parents have been combined to make this superb tetraploid cross. Large heavy textured richly colored flowers mostly in pinks. The potential for up to 30 flowers to the spray has been bred into this cross.
12"-15" leaf length—\$5.00

#1590 **Doris Aurea, 1773 x Balkis, 'Silver Orb,' AM/AOS.** A fine new cross very similar to the world famous Lillian Stewart. The first parent is a dark shapely red while Balkis, 'Silver Orb,' which is now uncontested as the world's foremost Cymbidium parent, is a magnificent tetraploid white. Mostly pinks with an occasional fine red and some fine whites.
12"-15" leaf length—\$7.50

#1580 **Carisona, 'Abundance' x Nam Khan, 'Borealis.'** The free flowering red Carisona has been crossed with the lovely creamy yellow tetraploid, Nam Khan. Pinks to dark rose of superb quality with an occasional fine red.
12"-15" leaf length—\$5.00

#1588 **Claudona 'Almyra' x Joan of Arc tetraploid.** We don't know how a more intriguing cross could be bred. The Claudona parent is a magnificent large shapely vivid green with a crimson barred lip. The tetraploid Joan of Arc used here is bred from Balkis by Alexanderi. Flowers should be very large and carried on long strong spikes. Colors should range mostly through yellows, light greens and whites.
12"-15" leaf length—\$7.50

Special Summer Offer #43

We will send one each of the 10 crosses offered for only

\$45.75

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